

Amendments to the Claims:

The listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-6 (Cancelled)

Al 7. (Original) A polymer comprising [2-(methacryloyloxy)ethyl] trimethyl ammonium chloride, n-butyl acrylate and 2-ethylhexyl acrylate.

8. (Original) A composition comprising a polymer comprising [2-(methacryloyloxy)ethyl-] trimethyl ammonium chloride, n-butyl acrylate and 2-ethylhexyl acrylate.

9. (Cancelled)

10. (Withdrawn) A nonwoven fabric comprising fibrous material and a binder material, said binder material comprising the polymer of Claim 1.

11. (Cancelled)

12. (Withdrawn) A nonwoven fabric comprising fibrous material and a binder material, said binder material comprising the polymer of Claim 2.

13. (Cancelled)

14. (Withdrawn) A nonwoven fabric comprising fibrous material and a binder material, said binder material comprising the polymer of Claim 3.

15. (Cancelled)

16. (Withdrawn) A nonwoven fabric comprising fibrous material and a binder material, said binder material comprising the polymer of Claim 4.

17. (Withdrawn) A fibrous substrate comprising:
fibrous material; and
a binder composition for binding said fibrous material into an
integral web, said binder composition comprising a polymer comprising a cationic
monomer and at least one hydrophobic monomer.

18. (Withdrawn) The fibrous substrate of Claim 17, wherein said
polymer further comprises at least one water-soluble or hydrophilic monomer.

19. (Withdrawn) The fibrous substrate of Claim 17, wherein said
cationic monomer comprises a quaternary ammonium monomer.

20. (Withdrawn) The fibrous substrate of Claim 17, wherein said
polymer further comprises at least one water-soluble or hydrophilic monomer.

21. (Withdrawn) A water-dispersible article comprising the fibrous
substrate of Claim 18.

22. (Withdrawn) A water-dispersible article comprising the fibrous
substrate of Claim 19.

23. (Withdrawn) A water-dispersible article comprising the fibrous
substrate of Claim 20.

24. (Withdrawn) A water-dispersible article comprising the fibrous
substrate of Claim 23.

25. (Withdrawn) A wet wipe comprising:
a fibrous material;
a binder composition for binding said fibrous material into an
integral web, said binder composition comprising a polymer comprising a cationic
monomer and at least one hydrophobic monomer; and

said fibrous material being wetted by a wetting solution containing a sufficient amount of an insolubilizing agent such that said binder composition is insoluble in said wetting solution.

26. (Withdrawn) The wet wipe of Claim 25, wherein said copolymer further comprises at least one water-soluble or hydrophilic monomer.

27. (Withdrawn) The wet wipe of Claim 25, wherein said cationic monomer comprises a quaternary ammonium monomer.

28. (Withdrawn) The wet wipe of Claim 27, wherein said polymer further comprises at least one water-soluble or hydrophilic monomer.

29. (Withdrawn) The wet wipe of Claim 25, wherein said cationic monomer comprises [2-(methacryloyloxy)ethyl] trimethyl ammonium chloride.

30. (Withdrawn) The wet wipe of Claim 29, wherein said polymer further comprises at least one water-soluble or hydrophilic monomer.

31. (Withdrawn) The wet wipe of Claim 29, wherein said polymer comprises [2-(methacryloyloxy)ethyl] trimethyl ammonium chloride, n-butyl acrylate and 2-ethylhexyl acrylate.

32. (Withdrawn) A method of making a wet wipe comprising:
forming a substrate of fibrous material;
applying to said substrate a binder composition comprising a copolymer comprising a cationic monomer and at least one hydrophobic monomer; and
applying to said substrate a wetting solution containing a sufficient amount of an insolubilizing agent such that said binder composition is insoluble in said wetting solution.

33. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 32, wherein said copolymer further comprises at least one water-soluble or hydrophilic monomer.

34. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 32, wherein said cationic monomer is a quaternary ammonium monomer.

35. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 32, wherein said polymer comprises [2-(methacryloyloxy)ethyl] trimethyl ammonium chloride, n-butyl acrylate and 2-ethylhexyl acrylate.

36. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 32, wherein said insolubilizing agent is selected from NaCl, ZnCl₂ and mixtures thereof.

37. (Withdrawn) A method comprising:
applying to a substrate of fibrous material;
a binder composition for said fibrous material comprising the polymerization product of a cationic monomer and at least one hydrophobic monomer.

38. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 37, wherein said binder further comprises the polymerization product of at least one hydrophilic monomer.

39. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 37, wherein said cationic monomer is a quaternary ammonium monomer.

40. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 37, wherein said polymer comprises [2-(methacryloyloxy)ethyl] trimethyl ammonium chloride, n-butyl acrylate and 2-ethylhexyl acrylate.

41. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 40, wherein said polymer further comprises at least one water-soluble or hydrophilic monomer.